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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF NEVADA

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JUSTIN PAULO,

Plaintiff

Case No. 2:19-cv-00474-APG-NJK

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v.

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BRIAN WILLIAMS et al.,

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Defendants

ORDER

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I. DISCUSSION

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Plaintiff, who is a prisoner in the custody of the Nevada Department of Corrections (“NDOC”), has submitted a civil rights complaint under 42 U.S.C. § 1983. Docket No. 1-1. Plaintiff has neither paid the full filing fee for this matter nor filed an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

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Under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a)(2) and Local Rule LSR 1-2, Plaintiff must complete an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* and attach both an inmate account statement for the past six months and a properly executed financial certificate. The Court will retain Plaintiff’s civil rights complaint, Docket No. 1-1, but will not file it until the matter of the payment of the filing fee is resolved. Plaintiff will be granted an opportunity to file an application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, or in the alternative, pay the full filing fee for this action. If Plaintiff chooses to file an application to proceed *in forma pauperis* he must file a fully complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis*.

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II. CONCLUSION

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For the foregoing reasons, IT IS ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court WILL SEND Plaintiff the approved form application to proceed *in forma pauperis* by a prisoner, as well as the document entitled information and instructions for filing an *in forma pauperis* application.

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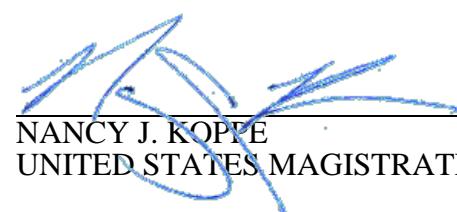
IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, no later than **April 22, 2019**, Plaintiff must either: (1)

1 file a fully complete application to proceed *in forma pauperis*, on the correct form with complete
2 financial attachments in compliance with 28 U.S.C. § 1915(a); or (2) pay the full \$400 fee for
3 filing a civil action (which includes the \$350 filing fee and the \$50 administrative fee).

4 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that, if Plaintiff does not timely comply with this order,
5 dismissal of this action may result.

6 IT IS FURTHER ORDERED that the Clerk of the Court will retain the complaint, Docket
7 No. 1-1, but will not file it at this time.

8 DATED: March 21, 2019.

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11 NANCY J. KOPPE
12 UNITED STATES MAGISTRATE JUDGE
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